DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable turn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas cted by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, avare, thogari and horsegram are being harvested in all parts of the district. Paddy is being harvested in parts of Channapatna, Nelamangala and Kankanhalli Taluks. Sugarcane is being milled in parts of Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and potatoes are being harvested in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

It is reported that 'Black-quarter' is prevailing in parts of Nelamangala and Kankanhalli Taluks, and the Veterinary Department is taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8 Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, avare, sugarcane, groundnut and jola are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Sown.—Paddy in parts of Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, avare, thogari, horsegram groundnut and ragi.

Sugarcane milling in Kolar, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Generally good except for Plague in Hudukula, Hunasenahalli, Magondi, and Desihalli Villages in Bowringpet Taluk; in some villages of Kasaba, Kaivara and Ambajidurga Hoblis in Chintamani Taluk, in some villages in Mulbagal Taluk; in many villages in Sidlaghatta Taluk; Hiriyanahalli, Kakalachinte, Kodur, Chikanaglahalli, Kammatnahalli, Adiyyagarhalli,, Agalagurki, Keswara, Kuduvathi, and Doddamarali Villages in Chikballapur Taluk and also Chikballapur Town, Manchenalli, Doddakurugodu, Chinnanagenhalli and Upparahalli Villages in Goribidnur Taluk; in parts of Malur Taluk, and Yeldur, Ronoor and surrounding villages in Srinivaspur Taluk. It is also reported that Malarial fever is prevailing in many villages in Mulbagal Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted to check the spread of the disease.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for 'Blackquarter' in Madamangala, Kempapura and Keeramande Villages in Bowringpet Taluk; Upparahalli and Subbanahalli villages in Goribidnur Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Transplantation of paddy in Chiknaikanhalli, Koratagere and parts of Pavagada Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Koratagere and Turvekere Taluks; Horsegram in Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli and Gubbi Taluks; jola in Madhugiri, Sira and Koratagere Taluks; Bengalgram in Madhugiri Taluk; greengram in Tumkur Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur, Sira, Kunigal and Turvekere Taluks; horsegram in Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks; Bengalgram in Koratagere Taluk; Castor in Tiptur and Turvekere Taluks; avare in Tiptur and ragi in Turvekere.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are generally available.

The Amildars of Tumkur and Turvekere report that some difficulty is being experienced for fodder in a few places.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for prevalance of 'Black-quarter' in a village of Tiptur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector concerned who was addressed in the matter is taking necessary remedial measures.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops such as horsegram, thogari, cotton, sugarcane, paddy, Bengalgram, coriander and tobacco are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and horsegram in Mysore Taluk, paddy, ragi, horsegram, thogari and sugarcane in Chamarajnagar Taluk; ragi in Seringapatam Taluk; ragi and horsegram in Krishnarajnagar, paddy, in Gundlupet Taluk; sugarcane in T-Narsipur Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in Krishnarajpet, Mandya and Maddur Taluks; Bengalgram, horsegram and coriander in Nagamangala Taluk; sugarcane, avare and Bengalgram in French-Rocks Taluk.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Belur Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk; Bengalgram in Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; Ragi in Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; horsegram in the Arsikere Taluk; menthya and sambar seeds in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Chennarayapatna, Arsikere Taluks; ragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Chennarayapatna Taluks; sugarcane in Belur and Chennarayapatna Taluks; horsegram, gingelly, thogari, avare, b lackgram, greengram in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable.

No signs of famine.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks except in some parts of Chennarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks where it is reported that 'Sheep-pox and Black-quarter' are respectively prevailing and that the Veterinary Department has been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations and Seeds Sown.*—Sugarcane being planted in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

State of the Standing Crops.—All the standing crops such as sugarcane, cotton, thogari and kadale in the several taluks of the district are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, ragi and horsegram in Shikarpur Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluks; paddy and horsegram in Sagar Taluk; paddy in the taluks of Hosanagar, and Tirthahalli; cotton in Chennagiri and Honnali Taluks; Bengalgram in Honnali Taluk and sugarcane in the Taluks of Chennagiri, Sorab, Tirthahalli and Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being harvested. Sugarcane milling is being attended to in the taluks of Shimoga, Sagar and Nagar.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

Food grains are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Fodder and water are available for the cattle.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, avare, jola, paddy, kadale, coffee are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Avare in Kadur Taluk; paddy, ragi, jola in Tarikere Taluk; sugarcane in Koppa Taluk; coffee in Mudgere Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.

11. 1. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district.

2. It is reported that 'Rinderpest' prevails in Birur, Kadur Taluk, and Lingadahalli in Tarikere Taluk and also in Hosahalli Village of Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluk. It is reported that Veterinary Inspectors concerned are taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

3. Water and fodder for cattle are available in all taluks and the Sub-taluk in the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in a fairly good condition and reported to be in need of rains in some parts of the Hiriyur Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, jola, and navane in Chitaldrug Taluk; jola, navane, avare, thogari and Bengalgram in Holalkere Taluk; sugarcane in Davangere Taluk and Bengalgram in Jagalur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are generally available throughout the district.

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For *Revenue Commissioner.*
Absent from the Station.